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- 1. Congressman Wigglesworth will be unable to attend the luncheon on 11 January as a delegation from Massachusetts will be with him all day.
- 2. I talked with Cong. George Mahon regarding the reports which we have received that Cong. Albert Thomas had been critical of certain aspects of CIA, and I told the Congressman that we would like some guidance as to how this matter should be handled. He stated that he did not feel we should approach Cong. Thomas directly at this time and that he would not mention to the Congressman the fact that I had spoken to Cong. Mahon about the matter. However, he said he would in the near future make it a point to give Mr. Thomas an opportunity to mention CIA to him and if Mr. Thomas was critical he would either handle it himself or advise us as to appropriate steps.

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4. I have handed to Mr. Arens, Chief Counsel of the Immigration
Subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee, background memoranda on
three members of the Ezech Embassy in the United States

This is in response to his earlier request
for this information for the Welker task force.

5. I have also discussed with Mr. Arens the question of handling of Department of Justice reports to the Senate Judiciary Committee under Section 212(d)(3) of the Immigration Act. Where such reports concern

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